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SETTLED LONG AGO

The so-called "experiment" by a number of men and women partaking of a restricted diet, during a certain period of time, to prove an economic proposition, is without the merit of originality.

The Health Department of the Windy City, under the auspices of which the plan has started, is taking advantage of opportunity to advertise itself to the world.

That which these officials are seeking to prove, through the medium of so-called "heroic individuals," is known to hundreds of thousands of our people by individual experience.

The modern housewife is settling these things for herself.

The Consumers' League of Cincinnati has beaten the Health Board of Chicago to the same thing.

The fact is settled that one is better mentally and physically after partaking daily of only a few well-chosen foodstuffs than if he ate without discrimination.

The Cincinnati Board of Health, acting for the city of Cincinnati, has told of these matters many times in its bulletins.

Therefore, the spectacle of a little group of men and women cutting down their rations in Chicago in the name of science is laughable under the circumstances.

The American people, as they do many things, eat too much. They gulp down without reason. Apparently, while thus occupied, they have no concern for the present or the future.

If one of the big mogul locomotives were fired up as carelessly as the average man tends to his meals, said locomotive, which pulls a hundred loaded cars, when properly cared for, would not move an inch.

If the old-fashioned child consumed food in proportion to his

ignorance, as the average modern man and woman performs that function for themselves, that child of other days would have been scheduled for a good thrashing by its good old-fashioned mother.

The modern menu is a matter of wonderment and solicitude by the citizen who knows better. The model eater partakes only of necessary food, and then not until the sense of hunger dictates.

The leading American newspapers devote columns daily from skilled writers, advising their readers how to preserve their health because the wealth and power of a nation depends in proportion upon the health of that nation. A good healthy citizen is a more valuable asset than a citizen not thus blessed.

The rules of health are so simple that ignorance of them is a commitment of a crime unto one's self.

The citizen who knows how to breathe to the best advantage, how to eat to produce the best results, how to drink water to further vitalize the inner functions, has a great advantage over the citizen who closes his eyes and ears to the advantage of the better way.

In time our public schools will provide demonstrations for the maintaining of health and the prolonging of human life in the daily course of study. Meanwhile, the city of Cincinnati long since solved the problems that the Board of Health in Chicago evidently considers an entirely new matter.

The results of the food tests in Chicago are discounted so far as Cincinnati is concerned.—Commercial Tribune.

TWO CONCEPTIONS OF THE PRESIDENCY; TWO WAYS OF MAKING A CABINET

On the fifteenth day of March, 1913, Mr. William Cox Redfield, Secretary of Commerce, exhibited to the members of the Brooklyn Union League Club this highly colored chromolithograph of the Cabinet of which he had become a member:

"I need not describe our Chief Executive; many of you have seen him and heard him speak; yet I should not speak the whole truth if it were left unsaid that his personal power and the weight of his high character are increasingly acknowledged by his councillors." * * * Leaving myself out of account he has gathered about him with uncommon skill a group of men on whose patriotism and sincere high purpose the country may safely depend."

Since that picture was painted by Mr. Redfield the Wilson Cabinet has gained by the loss of Bryan and the coming of Lansing; it has lost by the departure of Garrison and the advent of the astonishing Angel Child; Josephus is still a heavy liability, and the rest of the councillors, good, bad and indifferent, average as before. On the whole it is probably the weakest Cabinet in the long history of our Government.—New York Sun.

Congressman Adamson now arises to remarks that railroad heads and railroad employees "both forget that they are servants of the public." Didn't dare say that during the campaign!—Commercial Tribune.

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Webb the unofficial opinion was voiced that the Secretary of States would not certify to the returns for the state unless the vote of every precinct was found correct in the official canvass.

No Credence From Rowell
Fresno, Cal., November 22.—Chester H. Rowell, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, in a statement tonight said:

"Whether there are such irregularities in the returns to justify proceedings in the court is a matter which the state committee will have to determine after consultation with Chairman Wilcox and the National Committee in New York. Certainly the insignificant errors in two precincts, discovered by Secretary of States Jordan would not justify him, as an administrative officer, in permanently withholding the certificates of election of the California electors and thereby depriving California of its vote in the electoral college. Such a proposition is too ridiculous to discuss."

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COUNT QUESTION

California Secretary of States Calls For Correction in Two Counties.

Sacramento, Cal., November 22.—Secretary of State Jordan predicted today that unless certain mistakes and omissions discovered in returns from Yuba and Orange Counties are corrected, he will withhold certificates of election to Presidential electors. Should this be done it would create delay, if not a serious situation, possibly even affecting the re-election of President Wilson, as his election depends on California's electoral votes.

Following is the statement issued by Jordan concerning the situation:

"Under the provisions of section 1313 of the Political Code, it is the duty of the Secretary of State to compare and estimate the votes given for electors. Such comparison and estimate is to be made as soon as returns are received from all the counties in the State.

"In Marinville precinct No. 3, twelve Democratic electors are credited with 96 votes each, but the votes received by Loren A. Handley, Democratic elector, have not been credited because the election clerks failed to include the vote in their returns to the supervisors, the supervisors could not ascertain such vote and therefore the county clerk was unable to include it in the returns to this office. The returns from this county are incomplete.

"In the County of Orange a more glaring case of disfranchisement is presented. All the voters of Orange-thorpe precinct have been denied an expression of their wishes as indicated by their votes. Because the tally lists are in the sealed envelopes containing the ballots the Board of Supervisors could not ascertain the vote in that precinct and the returns certified to this office are not complete because of such omission.

"If these mistakes are not corrected, if these partial returns are to be accepted, if the will of the voters of these precincts is to be disregarded, even the vote of one elector, why can no other mistakes be permitted to occur in other counties and precincts and thus the will of the voters be thwarted and confusion result?

"It is the duty of the Democratic and Republican State Central committees to take immediate steps to have these mistakes corrected even if the aid of the courts must be invoked otherwise the Secretary of State may deem it his duty to withhold certificates of election to presidential electors in order that an evil precedent may not be established."

In order to straighten the legal tangle that has arisen over the election returns from Yuba and Orange Counties, the Superior Court of those counties ordered the ballot boxes reopened and the count rendered complete.

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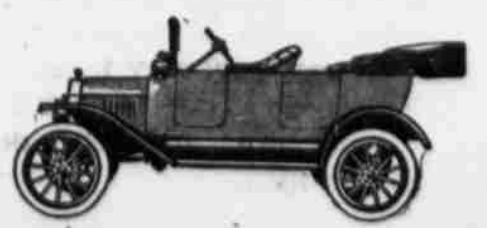
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